METZ SITS BACK AND SAYS "SHOW ME THE MONEY."

Advocates of the Lexington Avenue Route Have an Inning of Talk-Labor Men Also Want the City to Start Work In Order to Employ the Unemployed.

Several hundred property owners and representatives of civic bodies of The Bronx came down from their borough to the City Hall yesterday to urge the Board of Estimate to approve of the proposed Broadway-Lexington avenue subway. At the meeting of the Board of Estimate on Friday because of the acrimony which was aroused by the assertion of Comptroller Metz that the city had not the money to build the new subway it was decided to refer the matter to a special committee of the board with instructions to hold a series of public hearings. The hearing was in the Council

Comptroller Metz, the chairman of the committee, who presided, insisted that the speakers should confine themselves to the merits of the route and that the financial aspect of the situation should be left for another hearing. So things were calmer than they might have been.

The delegates from The Bronx wore red badges inscribed "Manhattan-Bronx Subway," and just before the hearing began one of the Bronx men handed one to Mr. Metz with the remark "As Comptroller you are supposed to be non-partisan and non-sectional, but you daren't wear that

"You just watch me." reolied Mr. Metz as he pinned the badge on his coat.

The opponents of the proposal had first inning. There were very few of them and their arguments were chiefly that Lexington avenue was too narrow. These speakers, who were mostly owners of abutting propwho were mostly owners of abutting property and members of civic organizations of the East Side who are anxious that the next tunnel to be built shall run under either First, Second or Third avenue, asserted that the rock foundations of Lexington avenue would make the building of a tunnel there extremely costly, and that as the tunnel would have almost to touch the building lines the city would be subjected to great expense in shoring up the houses and for damage claims.

The men from The Bronx who spoke in

The men from The Bronx who spoke in layor of the tunnel were the same group who for the last seven or eight years have been attending similar hearings and whose cry is that The Bronx must have transit facilities or the population will es or the population will move to City or to Long Island instead of

"Give us this subway," cried one of the contingent from The Bronx to Mr. Metz, and the people of The Bronx will back you for any office in the gift of the country that you run for " that you run for."

J. Harris Jones tried to get Mr. Metz to

whether he would vote for the new vay. "Before we leave here," he called 'we want to know if we are going to have this subway!"
"I will vote for it if I can," Mr. Metz.
replied; "but if I am right in my contention

as to the state of the city's resources the tunnel cannot be built at present, and all this talk is useless." William Martin insisted that if the city ad the kind of officials who would com-

rad the kind of officials who would compel the traction companies to pay up their overdue lates the city would have all the money needed to build the subway.

The remark angered Mr. Metz and he was about to make some hot reply apparently, but after half rising in his seat with his gavel waving in the air he sat back again and contented himself with merely retorting:

"None of you can bind me down to any promise as to how I shall act with regard to this subway. I am in favor of all the subways that can be built if the city has the money for them, but what attitude I shall take with regard to this one will be

made known in the report which the committee will make to the Board of Estimate."

"That is evasive," Mr. Martin returned.

"Well, that's all you will get out of me now," Mr. Metz answered.

Delegates from labor organizations urged the starting of work on the tunnel without the starting of work on the tunnel wit delay in order to give work to the unem-

O'REILLY CASE AGAIN ADJOURNED In the Court Where Captain's Regiment

Disbanded 42 Years Ago. The case of Capt. Miles O'Reilly of the Mercer street station, charged with oppression, was adjourned again yesterday when it came up in the Essex Market court, where Magistrate Harris is sitting. After his case was adjourned the captain went into the lieutenant's room.

"Just forty-two years ago," he said, "I was discharged from the volunteer service when the old Sixty-seventh Regiment was disbanded here in Essex Market. I served through the war with the Sixty-seventh and little thought that forty-two years later

I would be on trial in this very court."

(apt. O'Reilly is accused of oppression
by William Sanbach of 34 West Third street. by William Sanbach of 34 West Third street. Sanbach says he was arrested several times in October, 1905, charged with violating city ordinances and was discharged in court. Capt. O'Reilly says he had reason to believe that a poolroom was being run in the rear of Sanbach's store and for that reason caused the arrests.
Policeman Farley of Inspector Russell's

staff testified yesterday that he had been sent to the place to inspect it. In the cellar he said he found some "iron doors."

After a little sparring with counsel for Sanbach he admitted that the doors were refrigerator doors. The case has been dragging along for some time in the police courts.

## SLAYER OF CHINAMAN CAUGHT.

Boy Wrongly Identified Set Free When Another Boy Confesses.

John Ryan, 18 years old, of 500 West Fifty-third street, and Thomas Hare, 19 years old, of 441 West Thirty-third street, were arraigned yesterday before Coroner Acritelli charged with killing Chin Ling, a Chinese laundryman, who lived at 203 West Thirtieth street. Ling was shot on January 7 last by one of three boy burglars who entered his place. On the next day the police arrested a boy named George McGinnis. Ling's partner identified McGinnis as the boy who shot Ling. McGinnis in consequence has been in the Tombs ever

since.

Immediately after the killing of Ling Ryan and Hare left New York. Recently they returned, and they were arrested last Sun-

returned, and they were arrested last Sunday night by Central Office Detectives O'Farrell, Raphael and Clark. Harefsaid that Ryan shot Ling and that he was with Ryan at the time. Ryan admitted the shooting.

When the Coroner learned these facts is sent for McGinnis and set him free. Ryan and Hare were held without bail.

John Bell is suspected of being the third burglar concerned in the attack on Chin Ling. He is now in the City Reformatory for another burglary. He will be brought before the Grand Jury on the homicide charge.

Pennsylvania Railroad's Annual Report. The annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad for the calendar year 1907 was published yesterday. It shows a loss in net income as compared with 1906 of \$2,-090,244. This is due to the fact that the increase in gross earnings is more than counterbalanced by the increase of operating expenses. President McCrea in his letter to stockholders says that one of the important reasons of the financial panic was undoubtedly the fear of the result of the recent Federal and State legislation on railroads. He also reports satisfactory progress on the New York tunnel exten-sion, and says that the entire work, including the terminal station, will be com pleted in 1910. Copious extracts from the report are published elsewhere.

Dawkins, Robbers' Pal, Is Sentenced and Lectured by Judge Dike.

Policeman George Dawkins of the Adams street station in Brooklyn, who was convicted last week of burglary in the third degree and grand larceny in the second degree, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Dike in the County Court to four years and six months for the former offence and four years for the latter.

The court room was packed when he was led to the bar and there were several policemen among the spectators. The aged mother of the prisoner was in court when it convened, but, becoming hysterical, was led from the room before sentence was pronounced. Edward J. Reilly, counsel for the prisoner, asked for a week's delay in passing sentence, and when this was refused by Judge Dike made a plea for elemency. He said that Dawkins had already "lost his wife, his place on the police force—even his citizenship," and that he should be treated as a "first offender." In passing sentence, Judge Dike In passing sentence, Judge Dike

A uniformed policeman, yet a pal of crooks and jailbirds both before and after you became such, it must be, if you have any feeling of self-respect, a painful thought to think that the two crooks with long criminal records were believed by the jury, and properly so rather than your own perjured and despicable testimony. You are a stain upon the record of our police force, confidence in which is rudely shattered by such disclosures as this Happily I believe that such cases as yours are rare, and that the good men of the force will rejoice with our citizens in your discovery, your conviction and your sentence. From the court room Dawkins was taken to police headquarters in State street and photographed. He was then taken to the

photographed. He was then taken to the jail and two hours later was on his way to Sing Sing.

Dawkins, who is about 30 years old, is a native of the West Indies and had been on the police force sixteen months. He served for a short time in the United States Navy, and before his appointment on the police force had been a special officer at Coney Island.

at Coney Island.

Dawkins was dropped from the rolls of the Police Department yesterday. CLEANING UP "THE FARMS."

Police Demolish Shanty on the East Side Where Roughs Congregated.

A ramshackle shanty on the western edge of "The Farms," the open place at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, was pulled down yesterday by Capt. Steve McDermott and his men of the East Twenty-second street police station. The shaniy was a street police station. The shaniy was a favorite meeting place of an undesirable element.: It was at one time occupied by a volunteer life saving organization, but for the last two years has been given over to rowdies of the neighborhood.

Prompted by the fight last Friday morning in which Scar Reilly, a crook, was shot and killed by Tom Craven in the latter's saloon at Twenty-fourth street and First avenue, Capt. McDermott decided to clean out

Capt. McDermott decided to clean out "The Farms." The door of the shanty was battered down with axes and the half dozen inside were sent on their way. Then, the help of the patrol horses and a rope and tackle, the shanty was pulled down.

Tom Craven has decided that, granted he gets out of his present trouble, it will not be best to continue business in the neighborhood where Scar Reilly's friends live. Last night a brewing company removed the fittings of the place which has been closed

DON'T INDICT ON CLAMOR. Warning to the New Grand Juries-Burglar

Stole a Jury Notice.

Two county Grand Juries were sworn in resterday by Judge Foster of General He told the jurors that they nust not indict on public clamor, as an indictment once found is an everlasting

fisgrace.
William M. Mitchell, an importer, is fore man of the morning Grand Jury. Will-iam C. Muschenheim of the Hotel Astor the foreman of the afternoon Grand

Judge Foster told the Grand Jurors that they were not required to have the Dis-trict Attorney present at their delibera-tions unless they wanted him. One of the talesman called was Diederick Beckermann, an importer, of 3 West 123d

treet, who wanted to be excused. Foster asked him what had become of his

"I've lost it." he said. "My house was robbed last week and one of the things taken was my Grand Jury notice."

FELL FOUR STORIES AND KILLED. Cleaner Slipped and Girl Passerby Had a Narrow Escape.

Michael Tracy, a cleaner, fell from a window sill on the fourth floor of the Presbyterian Building, at Twentieth street and Fifth avenue, yesterday morning, and landing on his head was killed instantly.

Tracy was cleaning snow from the wide ledge which connects the window sills and runs along the Fifth avenue side of the building. In order to work better with his broom between the windows he neglected to use the usual window cleaner's strap and apparently slipped on the snow.

Miss Clara Hoffmeister, who was passing on her way to work, narrowly escaped be

on her way to work, narrowly escaped being crushed by the man, who fell at her feet. When she realized what had happened she rushed screaming into the building. A crowd collected quickly.

Tracy was 35 years old, married, and lived at 457 West Twenty-seventh street.



ELEVEN HUNDRED CHILDREN GO OUT COOL AS YOU PLEASE.

mly Those on the Third Floor Knew There Really Was a Blaze and They Didn't Tell-Crippied Willie Reynolds Stayed Behind to See Till Fireman Found Him.

Eleven hundred little citizens marched out of Public School 16, in West Thirteenth street, as calm as calm could be yesterday morning while flames hissed and crackled behind them and fire engines came clangng up outside.

The school is one of the old style, a three story red brick building. It has twentyeight class rooms, under the direction of Principal Joseph H. Zabriskie and Margaret Quinn, assistant principal. The greater part of the twenty-seven classes s composed of boys.

The fire started in a closet opening off one of the large study rooms on the third floor. Electric wires from a thermostat ran across the top of the closets, in which paper, crayons and other drawing materials were stored. It is believed that imperfect insulation of the wires generated sparks which set the paper ablaze.

Several boys who were studying their grammar lessons saw smoke curling from the edges of the door and waved their hands to the teacher, Abraham Smith. Teacher Smith immediately gave the fire signal, three clangs of the gong. Miss Quinn hurried to superintend the march out of the boys, and the emptying of the building

Although practically all the 500 boys on the top floor were aware of the flames, which now crackled and spluttered in the closet, they tramped down through the halls as orderly and calmly as if it were only a practice drill. Principal Zabriskie had sent in an alarm through one of his pupils, and the engines came rushing up by the time the top floor pupils reached the street.

he street.

Next came the classes from the second floor under the wing of Miss Quinn and two of her teachers. At the same time the smaller tots from the first floor and the the smaller tots from the first floor and the kindergarten departments were filing out from other exits. There was not the slightest indication of panic or stampede, and the third floor pupils were so intent on completing the march under realistic circumstances successfully that they said not a word of the real fire until they were in the street.

Miss Mary Evans, a second floor teacher

Miss Mary Evans, a second floor teacher, congratulating Miss Quinn on the exemplary way in which the children had filed out, said: "Why suppose it had been a real fire. I wager they would have acted just as well." "But, Miss Evans," remarked Miss 'uinn, "the third floor is in flames now."

After the building had been vacated it was learned that a crippled youngster, willie Reynolds, who had been excused just before the gong sounded, was still in the building. Half a dozen firemen ran through the smoke filled halls and found willie at the end of a third floor corner Willie at the end of a third floor corner watching the flames and enjoying the situation immensely. A husky fireman picked Willie up and ran out of the building. The fire, which was put out without much trouble, did slight damage.

COMPLAINS OF P. S. BOARD.

Commissioner O'Brien Fears for His High

Pressure Mains in Building Subway Loop. Commissioner John H. O'Brien of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity issued a statement yesterday in which he declared that the Public Service Commission by refusing to cooperate with him in the preparation of the plans for the building of the subway loop between the Williamsburg and Brooklyn bridges had prevented putting into service for some ime the high pressure water mains on the lower East Side.

"If the commission has set out deliberately," Mr. O'Brien said, "to cripple the high pressure fire system, I doubt if it could have succeeded better than it has done by ignoring existing conditions and contracts made

by the Water Department." Mr. O'Brien said that at the Bowery and Delancey street a change had been made in the plan for the roof of the tunnel which would compel the department to cut out the high pressure main on the Bowery, thus interrupting the principal feed main of the system on the lower East Side. Mr. O'Brien painted out other instances in which there would have to be similar cutouts because of changes made in the original plans for the subway. It was only by accident that the department found out that such changes had been made.

had been made.

"On two occasions recently." said Mr.
O'Brien, "I wrote to the Public Service Commission, asking them to require the contractors doing the work in Centre street and at the Bowery and Delancey street to pro-tect the water mains, which were in serious danger because of the method employed in the work. I have a series of five letters from the Public Service Commission saying that the matters complained of have been referred either to their chief engineer or their contractor, but up to date no action has been taken by either of the latter to remedy the situation, which is critical, or to arrive at some understanding to prevent still further interferences with our system; and in the meantime the operation of the latter may be considerably delayed, and great complications arise between our contractors and the department.

STATE OF THE NATIONAL PURSE. February Expenditures Nearly \$10,000 000 Greater Than in 1907.

WASHINGTON, March 2.- The deficit for the fiscal year in the United States Treasury rose to \$27,090,787 in February, \$8,405,108 of this being due to the excess of expenditures ver receipts in the last month. The most notable decrease was in the income from customs.

The February expenditures of the Government amounted to \$56,730,007. In the same month of last year they were \$47,720,-315. For the first two-thirds of the fiscal year the disbursements footed up \$442,253,-598, as against \$396,957,766 in the correspondone, as against \$330,007,000 in the correspond-ing period of the fiscal year 1907. In the eight months ended last Saturday the dis-bursements on account of civil and mis-cellaneous objects had increased more than \$11,000,000 as compared with the same period

of last year.

The circulation of national bank notes outstanding on February 29 aggregated \$695,674,519, which was \$231,757 greater than at the beginning of the month and an increase of \$99,531,497 compared with the same date last year.

Cost of the Hudson Tunnels and Terminals, The statement that the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company has authorized an issue of \$100,000,000 of 41/2 per cent. bonds, while correct as to the amount of the bonds, while correct as to the amount of the issue, is possibly misleading if it is regarded as indicating the cost of the work that has been completed and which is now in hand. As a matter of fact the cost of the four tunnels and terminal buildings under constuction and projected will be about \$60,000,000 and the remaining \$40,000,000 will be held in the treasury for any future enterprise that the company may decide to undertake. undertake.

International and Great Northern Bond Holders.

A protective committee consisting of Mark T. Cox, Edgar L. Marston and John W. Hamer has been organized to look after the inserests of holders of the \$10,000,000 the inserests of holders of the \$10,000,000 second mortgage bonds of the International and Great Northern, which went into a receivership last week. Thomas Denny & Co., as representatives of a large number of bondholders, have also started a movement for the protection of bondholders' interests. Default was made yesterday in the interest due March 1.



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PAYING OF BRONX DEAD ENDS

PRESIDENT HAFFEN GETS NER-VOUS WHEN PRODDED.

Insinuations That Roads to Nowhere Were Macadamized at the City's Sole Cost for the Benefit of Men With a Pull One Leads to Somebody's Icehouse.

The Commissioners of Accounts sought o ascertain yesterday just how Borough President Haffen spent an appropriation allowed him last year for paving certain outlying connecting thoroughfares not yet in a condition for permanent improvement and not yet having gas, sewer or water pipes laid in them." It was made plain by the line of ques-

tioning that it is the purpose of the commission to show that this money went to pave byroads leading to properties owned by men with a pull, the city bearing the entire cost. Commissioner Mitchel dealt particularly

with the macadamizing of Capitol street and Palisade avenue. "Is it not a fact," he asked "that these streets form only a loop around the residence of a Mr. John-"I don't know, but I wish to state," Mr. Haffen answered, "that no streets have ever

been paved for any particular person. "But isn't it a fact that those roads lead only to the residences of half a dozen

persons?" Mr. Mitchel insisted. Mr. Haffen said that he had never personally visited the spot.

When he was asked why it was proposed to pave Reed's Mill lane with macadam, to be paid for out of the special

adam, to be baid for out of the special tund. Mr. Haffen said that he could not recall the thoroughfare.

"Well, I visited the place yesterday."
Mr. Mitchel remarked, "and I found the road to be a small lane winding through some woods and leading to an icebouse."
Mr. Mitchel also pointed out that a so-called connecting road which had been paved on 214th street between White Plains and Manle avenues led into a wall of rock.

Maple avenues led into a wall of rock.

Each time that Mr. Mitchel drew the attention of the Borough President to this class of thoroughfare he asked if it was a "connecting street." The repetition apparently got on Mr. Haffen's nerves, for finally, shaking his fist at Mr. Mitchel, he exclaimed:

exclaimed:

"That question's been put to me so many times that I don't know whether I am standing on my head or my heels. It's been put to me so often that I am just about tired of hearing it."

Then Mr. Mitchel mentioned a few more streets that apparently lead to nowhere, although they were to be paved at the expense of the city as connecting thorough-fares.

NEW HAVEN TO BUY SS. LINES.

Underlying Concern to Take Over Joy, Neptune and Maine Companies. HARTFORD, March 2 .- The Hartford and

New York Transportation Company, which is owned by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, has completed arrangements for the purchase of the United States Transportation Com-This will give it the Joy Line between

New York and Providence, the Neptune Line between New York and Fall River and the control of the Maine Steamship Company operating between New York The Hartford and New York Transporta-

tion Company owns and operates steam-

tion Company owns and operates steamboats, tugs and barges plying between this city and New York.

Fall River, March 2.—The Neptune Line, which has conducted a freight service between this city and New York, has suspended that service for the winter months, and it is generally believed that the daily service will never be resumed. The steamer Kentucky made its last trip to New York Saturday night. Business depression is given as the reason. This leaves only one line between Fall River and New York, where a few years ago there were four.

MORSE BANKRUPTCY TALK

Renewed, Receiver Doubting If North America Bank Plan Will Work.

After conferring for several days Charles W. Morse and Receiver Hanna of the National Bank of North America are, it is understood, no nearer a settlement than when they began. Morse has not made any definite proposition that is satisfactory to the receiver for the taking up of his indebtedness, and it is said that the receiver doubts seriously if the ex-banker will be able to carry through his plan for the payment of the bank's depositors in full and the liquidation of the assets by the stockholders. In fact affairs have reached such a stage

between Morse and the receiver that the latter, it is understood, is beginning to talk bankruptoy proceedings again. It is said that the receiver now has the necessary two other creditors to join with him in a petition. East Side Italian Bank Stops.

Ferdinand Gottilla and Pietro Genchi (Gottilla & Genchi), steamship ticket agenta and bankers, 19-21 Stanton street, have made an assignment to Achille Salomone and Vito Vasile, giving preferences to about 500 depositors whose claims aggregate about \$15,000. The business was started in 1903 and used the style of the East Side Italian Bank. There was a branch at 338 East Sixty-third street.

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\$6,000,000 SUIT OVER BANANAS

Being Triple Damages Charged Against the United Fruit Co. by a Rival. A suit to recover \$5,000,000, begun more than a year ago, was brought to trial yes-

terday before Judge Hough and a jury in United States Circuit Court. The American Banana Company, an Alabama corporation, sues the United Fruit Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to recover triple damages under section 7 of the Sherman anti-trust law.

After the jury had been empanelled Henry W. Taft, counsel for the defendant, moved for dismissal of the complaint on the ground that the facts alleged did not constitute a cause of action. Judge Hough dismissed the jury for a week and entertained the motion in spite of the bitter opposition of Everett P. Wheeler of counsel for the complainant.

Mr. Taft contended that the question to be decided was a political one and concerned the right of Costa Rica to seize the strip of land upon which the American Banana Company had laid out a plantation and built a railroad. The company bought the land from Panama, to whom it had been ceded by Colombia, for \$49,000. Costa Rica claimed it and took forcible possession. The matter was submitted to President The matter was submitted to President Loubet of France for arbitration and he decided in favor of Panama, whereupon the American Banana Company resumed pos-

Fruit Company, alleging that the defendant had instigated the Costa I ican Government to lay claim to the disputed territory. This, the complainant alleged, was conspiracy in restraint of trade as defined by the Sherman anti-trust law and it demanded three times the amount of the loss s stained through its temporary dispossession of the land.

Mr. Taft contended that there could have been no question of restraint of trade as

Mr. Taft contended that there could have been no or estion of restraint of trade as the acts alleged to have been of that character were committed prior to June, 1904, the date of the purchase of the land by the complainant. The allegations that there was a monopoly of shipping and that prohibitive prices were established preventing competition covered the year 1903 and 1904 prior to June of the latter year.

Horace Deming of counsel for the com-

plainant said that the American Banana Company had been in existence during the period covered by all the allegations of the complainant and that the United Fruit Company instigated the seizure by Costa Rica. He maintained that the operations of the defendant corporation tended to destroy all competition and was in violation of the special provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law in regard to the trade with foreign countries and the various States of

CORDAGE COS. TO REORGANIZE. Creditors of the Traverses to Take Bonds of New Concern.

The Travers Bros. Company, twines and cordage, with offices at 261 Broadway. and the Commercial Twine Company of 556 West Fifty-second street, which are closely associated in business and which have for many years held a leading position in this trade, have proposed a plan of reorganization and have asked the creditors to take bonds of a new company for the amount of their claims. This applies to creditors whose claims exceed \$200 The creditors are mainly banks, and it is said that the plan has already been accepted by a number of them. The banks expect that it will be generally accepted.

a number of them. The banks expect that it will be generally accepted.

Two new corporations are to be organized, one called the Travers Company, with a capital stock of \$500,000, and the other called the Travers Manufacturing Company, with a capital stock of \$360,000. The bonds which the creditors are asked to accept will be issued by the Travers Company and will probably amount to \$500,000. They are to be secured by all the assets of the Commercial Twine Company and Travers Bros. Company conveyed and transferred to the new corporations, and by them trusteed as security for the payment of the bonds. Whenever the trustees have on hand \$50,000 they are to distribute the money pro rata to the bondholders. The agreement further provides that the capital stock of the Travers Company shall be issued to the Commercial Twine Company to the extent of \$300,000 and to the Travers Bros. Company to the extent of \$200,000, in consideration of the transfer of certain assets of the old concerns. All the capital stock of the Travers Manufacturing Company is to be issued to the Commercial Twine Company is to be issued to the Commercial Twine Company and Travers Bros. Company is to be pledged as collateral security for the bonds. The trustees named are George C. Kobbe, F. A. Bryant and William D. Cambpell.

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